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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

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In response to the Office Action dated 29 October 2007 ("Office Action"), reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below: follows:

_	Amendments to the Specification begins on page of this paper.
x	$\label{lem:Amendments} \textbf{Amendments to the Claims} \ \text{are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.}$
_	Amendments to the Drawings begin on page of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.